ಶ್ರೀ ಕಡಿದಾಳ್ ಮಂಜಪ್ಪ.—G. R. ಪ್ರಕಾರ actual bus fare ಕೊಡುವದಕ್ಕೆ ಅವಕಾಶವಿದೆ. ಅಷ್ಟನ್ನು ಕೊಡುತ್ತೇವೆ ಈಗಿನ ಕಾಲದಲ್ಲಿ ನರಕಾರಿ ನೌಕರಿಯು ಸಿಕ್ಕುವುದೇ ಕಷ್ಟವಾಗಿದೆ. ಎಲ್ಲಾ facilities ನ್ನು ಕೊಡಬೇಕೆಂದು ಕೇಳಿದರೆ ಕಷ್ಟವಲ್ಲವೆ? ನಮ್ಮ ರಾಜ್ಯದ ಸಾಧನ ಸಂಪತ್ತನ್ನು ನಾವು ಗಮನದಲ್ಲಿಟ್ಟು ಕೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕು.

ಶ್ರೀ ಜಿ. ಎನ್. ಪುಟ್ಟಣ್ಣ.—ಈಗಿನ ದುರ್ಭಿಕ್ಷ ಕಾಲದಲ್ಲಿ ಇತರ ನರಕಾರಿ ನೌಕರರಿಗೆ ದೊರೆಯುವ ಹಾಗೆ ಬಸ್ ಫೇರ್, D.A. ಇವರಿಗೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲು ಆಗುತ್ತದೆಯೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕಡಿದಾಳ್ ಮಂಜಪ್ಪ.—ಅದು ಅಭಿಪ್ರಾಯದ ಮಾತು.

Chairman of the Apex Bank.

*Q.—75. Sri Y. VEERAPPA (Holenarsipur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

whether the person now nominated as the Chairman of the Apex Bank was at any time a Director of the Apex Bank and, if so, in which fiscal year ?

A.—Sri MALI MARIAPPA (Minister for Co-operation).—

No.

Sri Y. VEERAPPA.—May I know on what basis the present Chairman to the Apex Bank was appointed ?

Sri MALI MARIAPPA.—The basis is that the person so appointed will very efficiently discha ge his duties in that sector.

Sri Y. VEERAPPA.—Aft r hearing the appropriate reply fr m the Hon'ble Mi ister I want to know whether you have at any time conducted a test with regard to the efficiency of this person for this place ?

Sri MALI MARIA PA.—A test is not necessary. We can ascertain efficiency by various other manners.

Sri Y. VEER PPA. What is the financial transaction of the Apex Bank, Sir ?

Sri MALI MARIAPPA.—It extends to some crores.

Sri V. S PATIL.—May I know the qualifications and the previous experience of this person before he was appointed to this place ?

Sri MALI MARIAPPA.—It is not a question of qualification and previous experience. Hon'ble Members are aware that sound commonsense and integrity are sufficient to discharge one's duty efficiently.

Sri C. M. ARUMUGHAM.—Sir, was he connected at any time with any Bank as a Member or Director ?

Sri MALI MARIAPPA.—He may not have been connected with Banks ; but, he is connected with very good institutions.

Sri C. J. MUCKANNAPPA.—Sir, he has got sound commonsense and he has got so much experience and integrity also which cannot be questioned. May I know whether it is not a fact that this is done with a view to just reward a member on their side by giving this post ?

Sri MALI MARIAPPA.—It is only an inference of the Hon'ble Member which Government is not going to accept

ಶ್ರೀ ಎನ್. ಜಿ. ನರಸಿಂಹೇಗೌಡ.—ಈ ಅಪೆಕ್ಸ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರ ಚುನಾವಣೆಗೆ ಕಾಂಗ್ರೆಸ್ಸಿನವರನ್ನು ಬಿಟ್ಟು ಇತರರು ಯಾರೂ efficiency ಇರುವ ಮೆಂಬರು ಇರಲಿಲ್ಲವೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಮಾಲಿ ಮರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಎಲ್ಲ ವಿಚಾರಗಳನ್ನೂ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ತೆಗೆದು ಕೊಂಡು ಅಪೆಕ್ಸ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕಿನ interest ಚೆನ್ನಾಗಿ safeguard ಮಾಡಬೇಕು ಎನ್ನತಕ್ಕಂಥ ದೃಷ್ಟಿಯಿಂದ ಮಾಡಿದೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎನ್. ಜಿ. ನರಸಿಂಹೇಗೌಡ.—ಕಾಂಗ್ರೆಸ್ಸನ್ನು ಬಿಟ್ಟು ಇತರರು ಯಾರೂ ಇರಲಿಲ್ಲವೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಮಾಲಿ ಮರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಇಲ್ಲ ಎಂದು ನಾನು ಹೇಳಲಿಲ್ಲ. ಅದು ತಮ್ಮ ಅಭಿಪ್ರಾಯ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಕೆ. ಪುಟ್ಟರಾಮಯ್ಯ.—ಸಹಕಾರ ಶಾಖೆಯ ಸಚಿವರು ಈಗತಾನೆ ಹೇಳಿದ ಉತ್ತರವನ್ನು ನೋಡಿದರೆ, ಈ ಪದ್ಧತಿಯನ್ನು ಅನುಸರಿಸಿಯೇ ಕೇರಳದಲ್ಲಿಯ ನರಕಾರವು ಹೋದದ್ದು ಗೊತ್ತಿದೆಯೇ?

Sri MALI MARIAPPA.—It is not at all relevant here, Sir.

Sri M RAMAPPA.—Is Government aware that this post is an office of profit though not in law and it is not advisable to appoint M.L.As. to this post ?

Sri MALI MARIAPPA.—Sir, the Member should appropriately put the question ; that is what I feel. When he accepts that it is not an office of profit in law what is the other part of the question which I have got to answer ?

Sri M. RAMAPPA.—Though this place is not an office of profit in law, but the person would get something by way of allowance, will the Government

consider that it is not advisable to appoint M.L.As. and M.L.Cs. to such offices ?

Sri MALI MARIAPPA.—It is not an office of profit and it is entirely your opinion.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಪಿ. ರೇವಣ್ಣಸಿದ್ದಪ್ಪ.—ತಮ್ಮ ಕಡೆಯವರಿಗೆ ಒಳ್ಳದಾರಿ ತೋರಿಸುತ್ತೀವ್ನೀರಿ ಎನ್ನುವದನ್ನು ಒಪ್ಪುತ್ತೀರಾ ?

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು—Order, order! ಹಾಗೆ ಹೇಳಬಾರದು.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಪಿ. ರೇವಣ್ಣಸಿದ್ದಪ್ಪ.—Integrity, efficiency ಮುಂತಾದವನ್ನು ಗಮನದಲ್ಲಿ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಲಾಗಿದೆಯೆಂದು ಹೇಳಿದರು, ಹಾಗಾದರೆ ಇದನ್ನು ಯಾವ ಥರ್ಮಾಮೀಟರಿನಿಂದ ಅಳತೆ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದೀರಿ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಮಾಲಿ ಮರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—Integrity, efficiency, commonsense ಇವುಗಳನ್ನು ಪ್ರಪಂಚದಲ್ಲಿ ನ ಸಾಜದಲ್ಲಿ ತಾವು ಯಾವ ಯಾವ ವಿಧವಾಗಿ ಅಳತೆಮಾಡಬಹುದು ಎಂದು ತಿಳಿದುಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದೀರೋ ಅದಕ್ಕಿಂತ ಒಂದ ಕ್ಯೆ ಹೆಚ್ಚಾಗಿ ಅಳತೆ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದೇವೆ.

Sri G. VENKATAI GOWDA.—In as much as, the financial transaction in Apex Bank runs to crores of rupees, is the Government satisfied that this person has got sufficient experience in financial matters ?

Sri MALI MARIAPPA.—As I have already said, these two qualifications are sufficient to manage any Bank. Government are satisfied and on that satisfaction alone they have made this appointment.

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಎನ್. ಮೂಡಲಗಿರಿಗೌಡ.—ಅಪೆಕ್ಸ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕಿನ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರನ್ನು ನೇಮಕ ಮಾಡಿರಕ್ಕಂಥ ವರು ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಸೌತ್ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕಿನ ಮಲ್ಲಿಪರ್ಪಸ್ ಸೊಸೈಟಿಯ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರಾಗಿ ಬಹಳ ವರ್ಷ ಕೆಲಸ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದರು ಎಂಬುದು ಸರಕಾರಕ್ಕೆ ಗೊತ್ತಿದೆಯೇ ಸ್ವಾಮಿ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಮಾಲಿ ಮರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಗೊತ್ತಿದೆ.

Sri C. K. RAJAIAH SETTY.—May I know if economy is not one of the aspects to be taken into consideration while creating a new post, Sir ?

Sri MALI MARIAPPA.—It is not a new post at all ; there is the Chairmanship of the Apex Bank from the inception of the Bank.

Sri C. K. RAJAIAH SETTY.—Is it not a fact that the Chairman of the Land Mortgage Bank was managing this post also ?

Sri MALI MARIAPPA.—That was only a stop-gap arrangement, my friends must know.

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ತಾರೇಗೌಡರು.—ಅಪೆಕ್ಸ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕಿನ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಕಾಂಗ್ರೆಸ್ ಕಮಿಟಿಯ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರಾಗಿ, ಮೈಸೂರು ಪ್ರದೇಶ ಕಾಂಗ್ರೆಸ್ ಕಮಿಟಿಯ ಕಾರ್ಯಕಾರೀ ಮಂದಲದ ಸದಸ್ಯರಾಗಿ ರೂಲಿಂಗ್ ಪಾರ್ಟಿಯ ಸೆಕ್ರೆಟರಿಆವರು ಆಗಿರುವದರಿಂದ ಸಾಕಷ್ಟು ಅರ್ಹತೆ, integrity, experience commensense ಇದೆಯೆಂದು ತಿಳಿದುಕೊಂಡುತಾನೇ ಅವರ ನೇಮಕ ಮಾಡಿರುವುದು ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಮಾಲಿ ಮರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಹೌದು.

(Interruption).

Sri Y. VEERAPPA.—On a point of order. The point of order is, while we are expecting certain explanation and answer from the Government to a question put on the floor of this House, is it open to any Member to have the revelation of a particular qualification of a person in political field ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—Why not?

ಶ್ರೀ ಮಾಲಿ ಮರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಮಾನ್ಯ ಸದಸ್ಯರಾದ ಶ್ರೀ ಪಾಟೀಲರು ಕೇಳಿದ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗೆ ಉತ್ತರಹೇಳಿದೆ. ಅವರು ಅನೇಕ reputed ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಗಳೊಡನೆ ಸಂಬಂಧ ಹೊಂದಿದ್ದಾರೆ, ಕೆಲಸಮಾಡಿದವರಾಗಿದ್ದಾರೆ, ಅವರಿಗೆ ಅನುಭವವಿದೆ.

Sri V. S. PATIL.—May I know what remuneration or T.A. or D.A. is being paid to this officer ?

Sri MALI MARIAPPA.—There is absolutely no remuneration except when he attends on official duty the business meeting, he will be paid only D A.

Sri V. S. PATIL.—What is that amount ?

Sri MALI MARIAPPA.—I think it may not exceed Rs. 12-8-0.

ಶ್ರೀ ಇ. ನಾರಾಯಣ ಗೌಡ.—ನಿಮ್ಮ ಪಕ್ಷದಲ್ಲಿ ಹೆಚ್ಚು ಗಲಭೆ ಮಾಡುವವರನ್ನು ತೃಪ್ತಿಪಡಿಸುವುದಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಇಂಥ ಸ್ಥಾನಗಳನ್ನು ಮೀಸಲಿಟ್ಟು ನೇಮಿಸುತ್ತೀರಾ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಮಾಲಿ ಮರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಅದು ಮಾನ್ಯ ಸದಸ್ಯರ ಸ್ವಂತ ಅಭಿಪ್ರಾಯ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಪಿ. ರೇವಣ್ಣಸಿದ್ದಪ್ಪ.—ಇವರ ಟಿ. ಎ. ಮತ್ತು ಡಿ ಎ ಎಷ್ಟು ?

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು.—ಅದಕ್ಕೆ ಉತ್ತರ ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ ಪಿ ರೇವಣ್ಣಸಿದಪ್ಪ.—ಮುಖ್ಯ ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳು ಇಂಥ ವಿಷಯಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಈ ರೀತಿ ಮಾಡಬಾರದೆಂದು ಏನಾದರೂ ಆದೇಶ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದಾರಯೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಮಾಲಿ ಮರಿಯಪ್ಪ.—ಅಪೆಕ್ಸ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕಿಗೆ ಚೇರ್‌ಮನ್ನರನ್ನು ನೇಮಕ ಮಾಡತಕ್ಕದ್ದು ಆ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯ ಹಿತದೃಷ್ಟಿಯಿಂದ ಆದುದರಿಂದ ಮಾನ್ಯ ಸದಸ್ಯರು ಕೇಳತಕ್ಕ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧವಿಲ್ಲ.

Sri C. M. ARUMUGHAM.—May I know whether the Government has taken the consent of all the directors of the Apex Bank before the appointment was made ?

Sri MALI MARIAPPA.—At no time it has been made. There is no need for a departure to be made in policy in this instance.

Sri C. K. RAJAIAH SETTY.—Is it not a fact that this President resides in a village nearby Bangalore and that he is claiming T.A. every day for his going and coming?

Sri MALI MARIAPPA.—He is not claiming. My friend is posted with wrong information.

Sri V. S. PATIL.—May I know whether there are any rules for declaring the property of this Chairman before he accepted office and at the close of his office?

Sri MALI MARIAPPA.—At no time such a condition has been fixed and Government wish to make it abundantly clear that in this case, there is no such need also.

Sri Y. VEERAPPA.—Was this the only person taken into consideration throughout Karnataka?

Sri MALI MARIAPPA.—That I am not expected to answer. So many things will come up.

Sri Y. VEERAPPA.—Will the Government consult some of the expert members in the field of co-operation in making such appointments?

Sri MALI MARIAPPA.—That need not be answered, I believe.

Sri Y. VEERAPPA.—The Hon'ble Minister was pleased to say that it was only after all a stop-gap arrangement; what was his predecessor in the office?

Sri MALI MARIAPPA. As the Hon'ble Member knows, he is already the head of a sufficiently big institution, namely, the Central Land Moar gage Bank. It was only a stop-gap arrangement. The work and the scope for this institution is sufficiently heavy. So a separate person has been nominated.

Sri Y. VEERAPPA.—May I know whether this arrangement would be permanent or whether this is also a stop-gap arrangement?

Sri MALI MARIAPPA.—It is for a period of two years.

Undertaking of general and other Insurance Business by the Government Insurance Department.

*Q.—80. Sri J. B. MALLARADHYA (Nanjangud).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) what are the special types of general insurance undertaken by the Government Insurance Department at present;

(*b*) the reasons for not considering the question of Fire Insurance to be handled by Government;

(*c*) whether there is any proposal pending before Government in respect of Fire Insurance and if so, since how long;

(*d*) whether the permission of the Government of India is necessary for taking up additional business such as Fire, Marine, loss in transit of goods, theft, fidelity insurance, etc.;

(*e*) whether the Mysore Government inherited any items of General Insurance from Bombay, Hyderabad or Madras;

(*f*) whether they are taking steps to broadbase their efforts in the direction of General Insurance business and if so, the details thereof?

*A.—Sri J. H. SHAMSUDDIN (Deputy Minister for Finance).—

(*a*) Motor Insurance.

(*b*) The question is already under consideration

(*c*) (i) Yes.

(ii) For some years.

(*d*) Yes.

(*e*) Yes. From the Bombay Government. The question of aking it over is under consideration.

(*f*) The matter is under considera tion.

Sri J. B. MALLARADHYA.—In answer to question (*b*) Government are pleased to state that the question is already under consideration. Has the Hon'ble Minister seen the Administration Report of 1957 8 of the Department in which it is said that proposals are pending with Government? Why is there such an inordinate delay even after two years of integration?